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## Durham Recognized in Top 100 Fleets in North America for 2017

*Durham Is the Highest Ranking North Carolina City*

DURHAM, N.C. – The City of Durham has once again received recognition for its efforts to have one of the best government vehicle fleets in the industry.

The City's Fleet Management Department has been named to the [100 Best Fleets in the Americas™](#) for 2017. Durham ranked in seventh place, which is the highest ranking North Carolina city on the list and the highest ranking achieved to date by the department.

The 100 Best Fleets Program recognizes and rewards peak-performing fleet operations in North America. This awards program identifies and encourages ever-increasing levels of performance improvement within the fleet industry. The 100 Best Fleets award is based on numerous criteria including standard operating procedures, business plans, emergency operations planning, service level agreements, insourcing guidance, cost analysis, safety, audit criteria, and benchmarking.

Just last month, the department was also recognized as one of the [Top 50 Leading Fleets for 2017](#) by *Government Fleet* magazine and the American Public Works Association.

For more details about this recognition of Durham's vehicle fleet, contact Director Joseph Clark with the City's Fleet Management Department at (919) 560-4101, ext. 31223 or by [email](#).

### About the Fleet Management Department

The City of Durham [Fleet Management Department](#) is responsible for all services related to the City's vehicles and equipment. The goal of the department is to procure safe, dependable, cost-effective equipment, and furnish quality maintenance services to all City departments. Fleet Management consists of two divisions: Fleet Maintenance and Fire Maintenance. The department is also a member of the [Triangle Clean Cities Coalition](#). Guided by the City's [Strategic Plan](#), the department enables all City departments that use vehicles and equipment to provide excellent service to the residents of Durham.

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